Railroad Official Declares None Was Even Injured in Mexico City During Riots.

VERA CRUZ, May 7.-As far as known no American in Mexico City has een killed or even injured during the nent American residents of the capital roublous period, a prominent railroad who are disinclined to leave at present. troublous period, a prominent railroad fficial declares. He said the capital has resumed virtually its normal aspect clubs and business houses with few exceptions have reopened their doors. among these is the American Club, which was assaulted by a mob during which was assaulted by a mob during the first days after the American occupation of Vera Cruz, but is now open under the protection of a police guard. Since the mobs disappeared from the treets of the capital after the abatement of the first excitement, the official continued, no business house or private residence has been molested. The interests of Americans are being watched over by a committee of American residents whose president is Gen. M. C. H. Agramonte, a civil war veteran. The vice president is K. M. Van Zandt, a banker, while Charles E. Cumming, cable superintendent, is secretary.

ming, cable superintendent, is secre-tary.

Prominent among the active members are Carlos R. Hudson, C. W. Fish and W. F. Payton, officials of the Mexican national railroads, and H. M. Dieffen-bach, A. Weill and E. N. Brown. These men hold daily sessions to consider the rapidly changing situation, and they also advise and aid their countrymen.

"There is no reason for any foreigner to leave Mexico City, but those who de sire to do so will be given every facility. Those who remain will be protected to the fullest extent of my ability."

Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister, has been threless in attending to the interests of Americans and has been of great assistance to those leaving.

Kaiser's Tribute to Bancroft.

BERLIN, May 7.—Emperor William acted as godfather at the christening in Berlin today of the infant daughter of Lieut. Commander Walter R. Gherardi, American naval attache. His majesty was represented by an adjutant. He explained through Lieut. Commander Gherardi that he desired to be the little girl's godfather because of his high re-gard for George Bancroft, the American historian, the child's great-grandfather. The christening took place at the American embassy.

Conferences Being Held in Memphis. MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 7.-In addition to the continued sessions today of the National Conference of Jewish Charities, the National Probation Association, the Southern Sociological Conference and the Conference on Truant and Delinquent FIGS FROM THISTLES.

BY DR. FRANK CRANE. (Copyright, 1914, by Frank Crane.)

Refugees who came in yesterday expressed their conviction that special efforts are being made by Mexican officials and army officers along the route from the capital to treat them in a kindly manner.

Americans to the number of 2,000 or 2,500 are still left in the capital. Most of those remaining in Mexico City have come in from outlying districts, but there is also a large percentage of actual permanent American residents of the capital who are disinclined to leave at present.

The gangster may be a coward, and, chance?

The gangster may be a coward, and, say Judge Swann says. "arrant, arrogant selfishness rules and breeds him." Doubtless we must correct him. But we cannot wholly rid ourselves of a haunting sense of responsibility. Are we doing what we can to change those wonditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions that help to make him? How can we change them? It is a complete product of social conditions which we doing what we can to change the product of social conditions. The product of social conditions we may be a coward.

son, but you have a deal more self-conceit than I have if you think you would. That there are such crime-steeped families and neighborhoods everybody knows. And babies are being born into them daily. Can you expect them to develop into law-respecting citizens? "Do men gather figs from thistles?"

And should offenders from such circles be judged by the same standards we use in judging children who have had a chance?

Judge Swann's opinion has the advantage of being that of a man closely face to face with actuality; he handles real flesh and blood criminals and does not get his knowledge of them from books.

Yet one may sometimes be too close. We need perspective as well as knowledge of detail in forming just conclusions.

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The well balanced truth probably is that environment and individual delinquency are each partly to blame in the creation of the vicious person.

How much we owe to other people and to conditions surrounding us we can never estimate, but most of us confess that it is considerable.

Suppose you had been born into a family where your father was a brutial alcoholic, and your mother a scolding slattern, where the playmates of your incomproficity, drug using, and the glamour of crime at your most receptive age; where the coarsest forms and terms of all about you; where the whole atmosphere was full of harted of the police; snarling anger at the successful and the snering at any virtue, self-restraint, industry, and goodness as signs of contemptible weakness?

Of course you could resist all this influence, and grow up to be a decent per-

Friday's Bargain Offering-JEWELRY

Long Coat Chains, of black wooden beads that are so popular just now. 50c value. Fri- 39c day only at.....

Tango Bends, graduated size: also same style in purple, mahogany and different color combinations. 50c value. Special tomorrow only at... 15c Hat Pins, with cloisonne top. Friday 10c

Store Hours Now

Store in Washington 9 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.

Oldest Department

Hinds' Honey and Almend Cream—not more than 2 to a customer. Temerrew 29c 7 Rolls Fine Tissue Toilet 10c Paper. Special Friday at 59c Tourist Cases, rubber lined, fitted with tooth paste, bottle fitted with tooth paste, bottle toilet water, toothbrush, cake soap and can talcum powder, Friday only at Pound Can Tulcum Powder, regularly 15c. Friday only. 7c

Friday's Bargain Offering-

Toilet Articles

Main Floor-Toilet Articles

A Bargain "Every Hour on the Hour" in

Our Garment Section Friday

mannish styles, with pockets and the swirl flare at bottom. Values, \$7.50 to \$10. Between 9 a.m. and 10 a.m.

Friday the Price Will Be Only

around neck, turn-back cuffs, swirl flare around bottom of coat.

Women's White Wash Skirts, of linene and

Regular \$1.50 value. Between 11 a.m. and 12 noon

Women's White Dresses, of corded crepe, prettily fashioned and trimmed, low neck, three-

Between 12 m. and 1 p.m. Friday the Price Will Be Only WL.

Second Floor-Outergarment Section.

or square neck styles, three-quarter length sleeves, trimmed with folds of plain colors. All sizes, 6

Between 1 p.m. and 2 p.m. Friday the Price Will Be Only . .

Women's Spring Suits, attractive styles in materials such as serges, whipcords and gabardines, black, navy and colors: short jackets, nicely lined in peau de cygne. Values up to \$25.

Between 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. CO Friday the Price Will Be Only DO. 1

Children's Spring Coats, in black-and-white checks and different colors; all new, smart spring styles, but not all sizes in any one style, but all sizes-6 to 14 in the lot. \$5 values.

Between 3 p.m. and 4 p.m. Friday the Price Will Be Only WL. 1

Women's Spring Suits, including the latest Long Tunic Suits, trimmed in Roman-stripe cloth; also black-and-white checks, and whipcords, French serges and gabardines, in all the popular colors. Values up to \$35.

Between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. Friday the Price Will Be

Friday's Bargain Offerings Include

Wash Goods at 734c

and 121/2c

Good Lengths, and Worth Up to 25c Yard.

the sale tomorrow at 734c and 121/2c a yard,

and almost any length you could possibly re-

quire for any apparel purpose.

Choose from GINGHAMS....SATEENS

.....CHECKED DIMITIES.....BATISTES

...VOILES.....CREPES.....POPLINS....

Almost any weave you could think of in

Friday's Bargain Offering-Women's Sun or Rain Umbrellas

For \$1.59 Good \$2.00 Value

Right at the start we wish to say that these Rain or Sun Umbrellas are PERFECT IN EVERY DETAIL. Covers of union tafta, in colors of blue, green and red, narrow or wide twill tape edge, paragon frame and finished with long mission or ebonized sticks, plain or carved.

These umbrellas are 25-inch size, and ideal for summer use, as they afford protection both from the sun or rain.

Main Floor—Umbrella Section.

REPS.... MADRAS..... PIQUES..... DRESS LINENS and others equally as popular in WHITE AND COLORS. Special Tables-8th Street Rotunda-Wash

Friday's Bargain Offering-

Trimmed Hats, Values Up to \$5,

Choice, \$1 These Hats will walk out

quickly tomorrow! Think of itspring styles in hats in wistaria, green, bronze, navy. Hague blue, mahogany, tango and black combined with colors, prettily trimmed with pompons, ribbon stick-ups, flowers and wings, and all at the low price of a dollar.

HOW SOON CAN YOU BE HERE?

Second Floor-Millinery Sec-

tion.

Dresses, 59° Worth 79c

Friday's Bargain Offering-

A lot of House Dresses made of figured percale with collars of contrasting colors, and trimmed in piping to match. Sizes range 34 to 44. Good-fitting Dresses, and the price is so low that when you see these dresses you will buy several.

Third Floor—Ho Third Floor-H



Friday's Bargain Offering-

Our May Sale of Undermuslins

Five price groups for Friday-and they are all prize values. UNDERMUSLINS-including Night-WOMEN'S NIGHTGOWNS, of nainsook;

UNDERMUSLINS—including Nightgowns, high and "Ve" shape, open-front and slip-over styles; Corded-band Chemise, Underskirts with embroidery or lace ruffle, Long Petticoats trimmed in lace inserting or fine tucked ruffles, Extra Size Drawers with embroidery ruffle. 75e values. Friday only at.....

UNDERMUSLINS—including Short Petticoats of nalnsook,2 styles, fitted bands, lace trimmed, or with tucked lawn ruffle, 39c values. Choice Friday at.....

WOMEN'S CORSET COV-ERS, prettily trimmed with lace and inserting; all sizes. 19c value. Friday only....

Main Floor-Bargain Tables and 3d Floor

2 styles-slip-on and embroidery yoke, and the other in slip-on and square neck, trimmed with embroidery and ribbon.
Combinations, lace trimmed, Drawers in regular and extra sizes;
Short Petticoats and Corset
Covers. All sizes in the lot.
50e values. Friday only at, choice

UNDERMUSLINS-including Nightgowns in 10 styles, elaborately trimmed: Princess Slips, Crepe Nightgowns in solid

and fancy colors, White Petticoats, Combinations and Extra Size Petticoats and Drawers; all very lavishly trimmed with prettiest laces and embroideries. \$1 values. Choice tomorrow at 66c





Friday's Bargain Offerings-

Boys' Wearables



Boys' Suits, odds and ends in Norfolk and Balkan styles; some with 2 pairs of pants; sizes 6 to 17 years in the lot. Values up to \$2.98 \$5. Friday only

Boys' Blue Serge

A great value that many women should participate in. Choice of these very desirable and fashionable silks in lengths that can be used for any apparel purpose: 36-inch Black Chiffon 40-inch Colored Krinkle

SILKS for . .

36 and 40-inch 90

Taffetas.

36-inch Black Messalines.
36-inch Black Molre
Velour.

Crepe.
36 and 40-inch Brocade
Satin.
40-inch Colored Meteor Velour. 40-inch Colored Meteor 36-inch Natural Pongee. Crepe. 40-inch Crepe de Chine. Main Floor-Special Tables-Sth St. Rotunda-Silks.

Values, \$2.00 a Yard

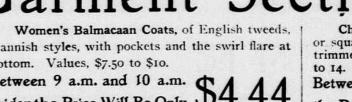
59c Linoleum at 19c Yd.

We have 35 remnants of 4-4 Linoleum in many different designs, some slightly damaged, and all the 59c quality, to sell tomorrow at 19c a yard.

Bring measurements, and buy Linoleum for the kitchen, vestibule or bathroom. All good, desirable lengths.

Fourth Floor—Floor Coverings.

Pants, all wool Special PSC Boys' Wash Hats, in latest styles. Friday only at



Women's Black Moire Coats, unlined, ruffle

Between 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. Friday the Price Will Be Only DO.00

corded PK, latest styles, regular and extra sizes.

Friday the Price Will Be Only D 1.U

quarter sleeves, all sizes. \$5 value.

A Noteworthy Friday's Bargain Offering-21/4 to 6 Yard Lengths of Dress Goods, 58c Yd. Values Up to \$2.00 Yard

Not for a long time have we been able to offer such good lengths in such wanted Dress Fabrics. Weaves include: Silk-and-Wool Poplins....Henriettas....Crepes....French SergesStorm Serges....Diagonals....PanamasVoiles...Prunellas...Plaids...Shep-herd Checks...Broadcloths...Fancy Suitings..... Tailored Suitings..... Mohairs and

SALE MAIN FLOOR BARGAIN TABLES FRIDAY-and the price 58c yard.

Friday Bargain Offerings-

Knit Underwear

Women's Ribbed Vests, low neck no sleeves, run with tape. 7c

Children's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, bleached and unbleached, representing odds and ends of 25c kinds. Choice 121/2C Friday

Main Floor-Knit Underwear. Friday's Bargain Offering-

\$1.00 and \$2.00

Thomson's Corsets

for 59c A special lot tomorrow of Slightly -mperfect
Thomson's Corsets, of fine coutil and batiste;
medium and low
bust, cut on the
new long lines,
and to be sold tomorrow at 59c a
pair; all sizes for
those who come
early. All fitted
with strong hose
supporters.

Friday's Bargain Offerings-

Fiber Wool Ruga; size
9 ft. by 12 ft., in all
over and medallion designs, in green, red,
olive, brown, wears
well. Worth \$6.98. Friday's Bargain price \$55.90

sale price ... Rug Section.

36 by 72 in. Woven Jap Rugs. 49c Fourth Floor-

Third Floor—Boys' Wearables.

Children, the American Association of Officials of Charity and Correction held Huerta Promises Protection. its preliminary session. Questions perti-Gen. Huerta is quoted as saying; nent to the work were discussed. 10% Discount on Accounts Closed in 30 Days Washington Home Washington Home Hastings Dining Tables, McDougall Kitchen Cabinets, Lifetime Furniture, Thermatic Cookers, Insurance Gasoline Stoves, Leonard Refrigerators, Glenwood Ranges, 1900 Gravity Washer, 409 to 417 Seventh St. N. W. Phone M 2826 Stearns & Foster Mattresses. Fulton Go-Carts. The Seamless Porcelain Lining ACH food compartment of Leonard Cleanable Re-

frigerators is made of one seamless piece of porcelain, not painted or baked on, but pure porcelain fused onto heavy steel, just like your porcelain bathtub. You cannot scratch or chip it off. There are no seams or cracks for

grease or dirt to collect in, and it is As Easily Cleaned as a China Dish

For you can clean out every corner with a damp cloth, just as you would your dishes. Leonard's Steel Porcelair will not craze, as will china porcelain, and it is much cheaper,

> Porcelain Leonard Cleanable Refrigerator

This Seamless

This Refrigerator has a solid ash case, with quartered oak panels, highly polished. It has a provisions chamber lined with Leonard's seamless porcelain fused on sheet steel. As easily cleaned as a bathtub. It has tinned wire shelves and removable ice rack, drain pipe trap and shelves. It is 30 inches wide, 18 inches deep and 39 inches high and has an ice capacity of 50 lbs.

Leonard's "Polar King" **Baked White Enamel** Apartment Refrigerator,

This Apartment Style Refrigerator is made for use where space is



McDougall Kitchen Cabinets Make Kitchen Work Easy

Your kitchen work will be done in half the time will be done in half the time if you use a McDougall Kitchen Cabinet. Everything is at your finger tips and you can prepare an entire meal without running about the kitchen. They have removable flour bins, swinging glass sugar bins, full set spice jars, large utensil cupboard, cuttery, linen and bread drawer and they sit on sanitary legs.

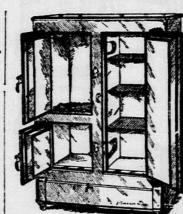
This Pattern,

"Cool Sanitary Grass Rugs"

Grass Rugs are the most desirable Rug for summer wear. Their soft, cool colors lend an air of freshness to your home, and they are inexpensive. We carry a full line in all grades, some with plain centers and stencil borders, and some with all-over patterns. Our salesmen will be pleased to show you.

9x12 Grass Rugs - \$7.00 | 4½x7½ Grass \$2.10 8x10 Grass **\$5.00** 6x9 Grass \$3.50

3x6 Grass Rugs - - - 75c 27 x 54 Grass Rugs - - - - - - 65c



This Leonard Cleanable Seamless Porcelain Refrigerator, \$35.00 This Refrigerator has

an ash case, with quartered oak panels. The circulation is of the side-wheel type. It has Leonard's seamless porcelain lining, ice rack, shelves, drain pipe and trap, all easily removable for cleaning. It is 33½ inches wide, and 45½ inches high and has an ice capacity of 80 pounds.

Refrigerator, Eight Walls Insulation,

This "Polar King"

This Polar King Refrigerator has a double case and is well insulated.



This \$3.00 Large Hardwood Porch Rocker,

This Large Porch Rocker is

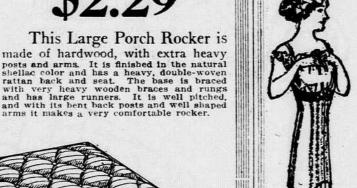


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Brassleres, trimmed with embroidery, and worth 25c, to be sold to-morrow at......

Matting Rugs Again—Friday—our 9 by 12
ft. Stenciled Matting Rugs, of
closely woven 150-warp matting; attractive designs and
colors, in oriental, floral and
conventional effects. Regular
\$3 value. Friday's Sale price,
only

(Same style rug, 6 by 9 ft., \$1.19.)

36 by 66 in. Stenciled Jap 39c Rugs, sale price.